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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

NAGRAJ CHAKRAVARTY,
 Plaintiff,

v.

PETER KEISLER, Acting Attorney General
 of the United States; MICHAEL CHERTOFF,
 Secretary of the Department of Homeland
 Security; EMILIO GONZALEZ, Director of
 United States Citizenship and Immigration
 Services; ROBERT S. MUELLER, III;
 CHRISTINA POULOS, Director of the
 California Service Center; ROBIN BARRETT,
 USCIS District Director, et al.,
 Defendants.

No. C 07-5560 WHA

**STIPULATION TO EXTEND DATE OF
 CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE;
 AND [PROPOSED] ORDER**

The plaintiff, by and through his attorney of record, and defendants by and through their attorneys of record, hereby stipulate, subject to the approval of the Court, to the following:

1. Plaintiff filed this action on or about November 1, 2007. The United States Attorney's Office was not served until January 9, 2008.
2. Pursuant to this Court's November 1, 2007 Order Setting the Case Management Conference, the parties are required to file a joint case management statement on January 31, 2008, and attend a case management conference on February 7, 2008.

3. In order to allow sufficient time for Defendants to consider an alternative resolution to this case and/or Answer and prepare a joint case management statement, the parties hereby respectfully ask this Court to extend the dates in the Court's scheduling order as follows:

Last day to file Defendants' Answer: March 10, 2008

Last day to file Joint ADR Certification: March 20, 2008

Last day to file/serve Joint Case Management Statement: March 27, 2008

Case Management Conference: April 3, 2008, at 11:00 a.m.

Date: January 11, 2008

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: January 11, 2008

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ORDER

Pursuant to stipulation, IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date:

WILLIAM ALSUP
United States District Judge